KERRY KATE'S GOLD.

She Had Thousands of Dollars, But Starved Herself to Death.

The Old Maid Miser of James Street Died this Morning.

Nearly \$4,000 in Coin and Greenbacks Quilted in Her Bedding.

"Kerry Katie" Roche died at the Chambers

from the effects of starvation. The story of Kerry Kate's afe and death is

entemporary of Blind Dan Murphy and Jerry She was known to everybody in the ward.

nobody dreamed that when she died nearly death ensued from general debtisty. \$4,000 should be found secreted in her squalid tenement-house home. She had existed for years without apparent

means of support, living on that which would e offat to a Madison avenue family. Yesterday, as was told in THE EVENING WORLD'S Sporting Extra, Patrick O'Toole, the housekeeper of Cunningham's five-story double tenement house at 69 James atreet, was in formed by one of the tenants that Katie Roche

Mrs. O'Toole rapped at Katle's door on the third floor, year. There was no answer. ing in at the wide crack next to the floor. Mrs. "Toole saw the old spinster lying on the floor, almost under the old, tumble-down, rickety

had not been seen for three days.

Mr. O'Toole hastened to the Oak street police station and Patrolmen Distler and Walker returned with him to the tenement. They faded in an attempt to burst in the ecor, for it was double-barred on the inside. door, for it was double-barred on the inside.
Excuss me, but can't you move a little, please I
but they gained entrance to the rooms by way
I've lost something!

of the fire-escape on the rear of the building. "Kerry Kate's" little, bent form lay on the noor. She was conscious, and made futile efforts to arise. Failing, the old woman heaped executions on the heads of the intruders They uncarred the doors and sent for an

amilulance. The ambulance surgeon declared that Katle Roche was dying from starvation, and she was removed to Chambers Street Boupital, where she died this morning.

There was a tradition in the Fourth Ward that Kerry Kate had a "bundle of money" hoarded away, but the two miserable room that are called home for twenty years did not in ticate it.

upon the court between the front an rear tene ents, was fifteen feet square. The other was little more than a dark closet.

The larger room was heaped up with flithy, vermin-infested rags, scraps of old iron an other junk, and in the dark closet was a fithy n attress on the floor. Bit Kerry Kate, though she had dope noth-

g in twenty years to earn any money, was a regular with her \$7 rent for these two rooms a was the first of the month in coming round and the two policemen remained behind, when the ambulance drove away with the protesting old woman, to search the place.

They tossed and tumbled the rage and jun out for three hours, and when they had done they were black with dirt and grime: but they had discovered that which would make a four dation for a romance.

In the integrable old mattress which has been Kate Roche's bed, they found a veritable

Here was a strip of yellow finnel, like a bilt, only that it was ten feet long. It was shout two inches wide, and was carefully sewed together. Inside this belt were 150 gold pieces. They were English sovereigns and American \$5 gold rieces, all bearing dates be-They were English sovereigns and tween 1840 and 1847.

The eyes of the policemen grew big in aston is ment when this belt was found, but they continued their search of the rooms, and presently they found a bundle tied up in an old handkerchief.

This bundle contained two bank books. One was an account with the Eleecker Street Savings Bank, book No. 226,949. The account was in the name of Catharine Roche. It was opened Jan. 31, 1862, and the last entry was March 11, 1891, when Katle drew \$55, 52, leaving illi to ber credit \$1,450.

There was another bank book, too, on the I migrant Industrial Savings Bank. This was to the name of " Daniel Roche or Niece. The secount was opened June 23, 1863 and closed with a debit of \$95, drawn Feb. 11, 1891 leaving a balance due "Daniel Hoche o Nicce," of \$1,312.

Hanging on the wall of this dark closet was sa old and coloriess flannel skirt, which looked

Sad-Eyel Party. Well, you see, friend, the suit thad been dragged in the gutter. In the slutt of my family starving to death so unnerves me that I have to drink to keep up my quantity of English sovereigns.

An old tin tomato can, apparently tossed into a corner of the room, was found to contain coin and greenbacks to the amount of \$90.67. Across the woman's feet when she was found was a piece of old yellow satin, and it was found to contain several gold sovereigns of the date 1802

Tucked away under heaps of old rags and blis of old from were found rolls of bills, golden e-gles and double engles, dating as far back as 1850, and seven gold engles were found quited between two three-cornered pieces of

The policemen, taying thoroughly ransacked the squalid rooms of Kerry Kate, took their find to the Dak street station, where Boon in ripping open the mitches that had been travel fast! Pergeant Meagan spent the rest of the aftersewed so carefully by the miserly old woman, The aggregate of Kate Roche's hoardings Was about \$3,700, yet the old cook-stove, turnbie-down couch, two chairs and mattress that After comprised her furniture would not bring one dollar under the auctioneer's hammer, and she was starving when discovered.

Katle Roche's history, as told by her oldest heighbors, is a short one.

She came from County Kerry, Ireland, forty Fi are ago, and had been famous in the Fourth Ward for her penurionsness ever since. She never begged and she never bought anything. Says old Matt Crowe, who has made shoes for James aireet at No. 68 these thirty years: "Old Kate used to have an uncle, Dan Roche, and a brother, whose name was Dan,

too, I think. They've been dead these twelve "They used to sell cabbages and other vege-

tableon a barrel at the corner. Kate would go to Washington Market and bring home the atu , to sell on her head.

" She never was married, and she wouldn't let any one go into her rooms." The wife of Dan Haggerty, who has lived at 65 James street these thirty years, says:

Kerry Kate never drans, and I don't think she ate very much, she was always about looking out for vegetables and other things that nobody else would buy. She'd buy cabhage heads that were spoiled and which were not fit for hors. That is the sort of stuff she she sometimes had a pail of beer, and, I'll take my oath, it was the same little tio pail that she got it in for thirty years." Mrs. O'Toole says that Kate Rooms never had

any callers. Kobedy seemed to be well enough acquainted to call her a friend.

Kate was for many years housekeeper for the big tenement, but resigned two years ago, Her living expenses did not exceed \$60 year besides ner rent, and on the first of the onth she always got change for a \$5 gold

plece at Cook's liquor store.

The attention of the Board of Health was called frequently to Kerry Kate's room, and some time ago they compelled her to take a

She attended St. James's Roman Catholic Church twice a year, on Christmas and again on New Year's day, but that was the extent of her church going.

When she was found yesterday she was brandy and milk at the hospital, but there was not enough vitality left in her old, emaciated body to revive.

When efforts were made to obtain from her Street Hospital at 3.15 o'clock this morning information about her affairs, she would seem | Proceedings opened with Theodore A. Haveto be in excruciating toriore, and would soo'd meyer in the witness chair to resume his testiabout the policemen entering her rooms to rob mony begun about two weeks ago. like a romance. She was a character in the her. But she would tell nothing; always say-

"Watt a little! Wait a little! By and by I the Trust in July, 1890. will tell you." Deputy Coroner Donlin made an autonay on

On his permit the body was removed by an

HE RECOVERED IT.



Boggs (in the crowd on the "Elevated



got it it; was only my breath! Recommended for Summer Yachting



Algernon Gilroy (who has missed his boat bit me with that life-pweservah; I'm all wight How He Used It.



Philanthropic Party-You said your family rere starving and I gave you a dime. Now I mi you spending it for liquor.
Sau-Eyed Paris-Well, you see, friend the

That Proposed Subway Pneumatic Tube.



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BOOKS ON VIEW IN JERSEY. THE THEATRES NEXT WEEK.

Offer of the Sugar Trust Magnates to First of a Series of Old Comedy the Senate Committee.

Treasurer John E. Searles On the Witness Stand To-Day.

The investigation of the Sugar Trust was resumed by the Senate Committee on General loubled up on the floor, her knees being close Laws at the Hotel Metropole this forencon. could not be straightened out. She was given Garder were present, with the Committee." "Old Heads and Young liearts." The characcould not be straightened out. She was given Gorder were present, with the Committee's counsel, Lawyer Harris.

II. O. and T. A. Havemeyer and John K.

Searles appeared with their counsel, Elihu

Lawyer Harris asked Mr. Havemeyer to ex-

plicit sanction of the Court. We wanted the trustees discharged from their itabilities, to sutain them against the certificate holders who Palmet's Theatre.

John E. Searles, Tressurer of nearly all the

augar companies near New York, was the Mr. Searles explained that he had been West on business, and had therefore been unable to appear before the Committee sooper. He exand of various companies, and detailed the manner in which profits are divided between

manner in water profits are late and working companies.

The trustees of the Trust met every three months and decided whether there was enough moner to declare dividends to the certificate holders. No record was kept of these

Alleged "Hop Flends" in Court. Ann Brown, Neitle Smith, Joseph Hart, naries Taylor and John Delmore, arrested in a raid on an alleged opinin joint, at 988 Sixth avenue, were arraigned at Yorkville Court to. Refused to Remove a Sick Man.

charge that an ambulance surreon yesterday rejused to remove Winited Hallahan from 10% Grove street on the plea that he was suffering from a contagious disease. Beattie Wants to Make Ecow Contracts.

Commissioner Beattle wrote to the Mayor to-lay, asking authority to make five-year contracts for the flux disposition of street sweepings, the courtest for frimming of scows expiring the 12th instant.

How It Escaped Her. i From Munsey's Weekly.] Smiley—I hadn't been out of the house five minutes this morning when I found a five-dol-lar gold piece. Yonker—Where did you find it? Smiley—In my pocket; my wife mistook it for a cent.

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THE WORLD: SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 4, 1891.

Revivals at the Lyceum.

The Last Appearances of Willard at Palmer's.

The first of a series of annual old-comedy revivals will take place at the Lyceum Theatre Monday night, when the gallant stock comters will be dressed in the costumes of the period of the piry, and the scenery, it is said, will be unusually interesting. None of the members of the Lyceum company have ever before played the parts assigned to them in "Old Heads and Young Hearts." Mr. Kelcey will be Littleton Coke, and Miss Cayvan Lady

plain the suit commenced by the trustees of American life, now running at the Madison "That suit," said Mr. Havemeyer, "was begun in order that the cancellation or modification. It will undoubtedly enjoy a long and everybody knew that she was a miser, yet the old woman's body, and ascertained that cation of the Trust deed might have the excharacters are all of flesh and blood, and they are capitally portrayed by the members of Mr.

E. S. Willard will begin the last week of his

Senator Erwin declared that he had a right to see the books. He believed that a fraud was being committed on the puolic.

"I believe," said he "that we can putyon in prison for not producing trem."

"We want," said Mr. Harris, "the books of the Haveneyer Sugar Refining and the other companies in the Trust, the ledgers, cash books, check books and all other books that will anow use how the Company did to business. I believe that Mr. Haveneyer and Mr. Haveneyer objected to having the imputation of fraud cast on the corporation. He was willing that an accountant should go over the books.

Senator Erwin said he had learned that the trust male its money by Wall street manipulations.

Mr. Searles vigorously denied this, and said that of the \$2,550,000 earned by the Sugar Trust not one donar had been made in Wallstreet. He would allow the Committee to the spect, the books to prove it, it would take three months, he thought, to examine them.

detail to CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

who will punish such people.

nitation on the unsuspecting sufferer and pur chaser.

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It is a source of wonder to honest people that there are men ready and willing to perpetrate such

Let them beware; a day of reckoning will surely come. There are "upright judges" in the lan

The proprietors of Canten's Little Lives | Pills have spent hundreds of thousands of

Small Dose.

But the moral of it all is this, when you ask for | CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS, insist upon having

House, Mr. Burcess will be supported by Robert Fischer, John B. Maher, Juius Scott, Herbert Carr, Marietta Nash, May Taylor, Stella Barciay, Edith Wilson, George Errold, Allie Philips, Artie Storey, Joseph Silvers and A. Anterson FROM THE WORLD OF LABOR.

Joshua Whitcomb leaves New York he will not return for many years.

At the Amibiral Theatre next week the repertors will be as follows: Monday, Streitmann in Gyrka Baron; "Tuesday and Josephs and Western Streits of the Workings of Monday, Streitmann in Gyrka Baron; "Tuesday and Josephs and Western Streits of the Workings of Monday, Streitmann in Gyrka and Staturias will be developed to the Mondaer, "Prof. Richard T. Fy. of Johns Hopkins University and Staturias will be developed to the Mondaer, who will make their farewell accessness." Price and Thursday Insent accessed in artiflus an article vicinity of the Roughts of the Rough

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Lonix Carpenter, who also plays a part in it.

May Wilkes. Katle Chester, May Carlisle and Collin Varry will also appear.

An interesting programme is being made for the Otero testimonial at the Eden Musec Tuesday night. Harry Pepper, Winder and reveral femioine operatic singers will appear.

The hall will be handsomely decorated, and a continuous performance will be given from a tinge at Huber's Falace Museum next week. Will also be seen. Linus the Oregon women, will sis be seen. Linus the Oregon women, coraful American plays, will begin a week's engagement at li. R. Jacobs' theatre Monday may be a continuous performance will be given from the theatre will also be seen. Linus the Oregon women, the different minus will done will also be seen. Linus the Oregon women, the different minus will done will also be seen. Linus the Oregon women, the different minus will done will also be seen. Linus the Oregon women, the time of the people is the only means of solving this question.

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Dr. Dillingham, of the Board of Health, partients removed. He also caused the quarters of the metro be formingsted.

Dr. Edson says the contagious disease spread from one man to the other. There is no danger, he says, of a further spread of the manday. ever, at the funerals of the miners who were

____ Going the Whole Hog.

A Northern politician visiting Texas made inquiry of Judge Peterby in regard to the political status of the colored voter.

"Do the colored men take inuch part in politica." Oh, yes, they'll take almost anything if has rendered the opening sone 210 times.

"Witt Thou Be My True Love?" 285 times, and the wallz song, 307 times.

Neil Buryess in "The County Fair" will be lost sefore the owner has a chance to turn it next week's attraction at the Grand Opera-

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ing order have been exhausted.

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in case fiting is necessary it will be continued until the mob disacceurs.

Mr. Pleasant, Pa., April 4.—The situation in the coke region is practically unchanged, though it is still forzed that frouble may attend or follow the funerals of the ien men killed in the Morewood affair.

The funeral correge will start from nere at 2.50 o'clock this afternoon and will reach Scottchie about an bour and a hair later.

Every prevaution has been taken to prevent trouble. The scious have been to been for the day and nye companies of the kighteenth Regiment are now on the ground.

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